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IN THE DRAWING(S):

Please amend Figures 6-7, 9, 14a-b, 15, 17, 19-20, 22-23, 25, 26a-26c, 27a-b, 28-29, 30a-b, 31-34, 35a-d, 36a-c, 38a-b, 39a-b, 40-46, 48, 49a-b, 50, 51a-b, 53-54, 56-59, as shown in the attached replacement sheets.

REMARKS

Entry and consideration of the above amendments prior to a first Official Action on the merits are respectfully requested.

By this preliminary Amendment, the specification and Figures 6-7, 9, 14a-b, 15, 17, 19-20, 22-23, 25, 26a-26c, 27a-b, 28-29, 30a-b, 31-34, 35a-d, 36a-c, 38a-b, 39a-b, 40-46, 48, 49a-b, 50, 51a-b, 53-54, and 56-59 are amended. No new matter is added.

In Figures 6-7, 9, 14a-b, 15, 17, 19, 22, 23, 25, 26a-c, 27a-b, 28-29, 30a-b, 31, 34, 38a-b, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 49a-b, 50, 51a-b, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58 and 59, the text included in the drawings is transferred into the detailed description.

In Figures 15, 17, 19, 22, 23, 26a-c, 27a-b, 28, 30a-b, 35a-d, 38b, 39a-b, 42-44, 48, 49a-b, 51a-b, 53, 54 and 56-59, hatchings are used to better distinguish the different areas in the contour maps and the bar graphs.

In FIGS. 29, 32 and 50 reference numbers are used to identify the graphs.

Generally, the Figures are enlarged to facilitate the view of their content.

After entry of this Amendment, claims 1-59 will remain pending in the patent application.

An early and favorable first Action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Please charge any fees associated with the submission of this paper to Deposit Account Number 033975. The Commissioner for Patents is also authorized to credit any over payments to the above-referenced Deposit Account.

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Attachments: Replacement Sheets